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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

VIA:

Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

FROM:

Acting Director, Intelligence Community Staff

SUBJECT:

Announcement of Appointment to Key Position

1. Action Requested: You sign the attached announcement, appointing Chairman, Critical Intelligence Problems Committee (CIPC).

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- 2. <u>Background</u>: On 19 January 1983, reorganization of the Intelligence Community Staff (ICS) was effected. As a result of this reorganization, the CIPC's Community role and responsibilities were broadened and enhanced:
 - The Committee is to be chartered as a standing senior interagency steering committee for the purpose of focusing Community attention and expertise on high-interest, cross-disciplinary intelligence problems.
 - The Committee will provide, in response to your tasking, timely assessments of Community's collection and/or production posture on critical issues together with comprehensive, concrete recommendations for action.
 - The concept calls for an ICS staff member as Chairman. In addition to chairing the CIPC, the Chairman heads a small permanent research support/action officer staff, augmented by TDY personnel as required for specific projects in support of CIPC activities.
 - 3. Recommendation: That you sign the attached announcement at Tab A.

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